

WHEN AN EMERGENCY VEHICLE IS OPERATING UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF §21-106 OF THIS ARTICLE, IT IS EXEMPT FROM THE SOUND LEVEL LIMITS ESTABLISHED UNDER §22-601 OF THIS SUBTITLE FOR THE OPERATION OF VEHICLES.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 66 1/2, §12-701(d).

The only changes are in style.

22-605. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES—ESTABLISHMENT OF SOUND LEVEL LIMITS.

(A) ~~ADMINISTRATION~~ ADMINISTRATOR TO ESTABLISH LIMITS.

WITH THE ENDORSEMENT OF THE SECRETARY OF TRANSPORTATION AND THE SECRETARY OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE AND AFTER A PUBLIC HEARING FOLLOWING 60 DAYS NOTICE, THE ADMINISTRATOR SHALL ADOPT REGULATIONS THAT ESTABLISH MAXIMUM SOUND LEVEL LIMITS FOR EACH TYPE OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLE.

(B) SCOPE OF LIMITS.

IN ESTABLISHING LIMITS UNDER THIS SECTION, THE ADMINISTRATOR SHALL SET THE MOST RESTRICTIVE LEVEL THAT, THROUGH THE APPLICATION OF THE BEST AVAILABLE TECHNOLOGY AT A REASONABLE COST, IS CONSISTENT WITH ATTAINING THE ENVIRONMENTAL NOISE STANDARDS ADOPTED BY THE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE.

REVISOR'S NOTE: This section presently appears as Art. 66 1/2, §12-702(b).

In subsection (a) of this section, the present deadline for adoption of the limits is deleted as obsolete. The required sound level limits have been adopted, effective October 1, 1975.

The only other changes are in style.

22-606. NEW MOTOR VEHICLES—VEHICLES NOT TO EXCEED MAXIMUM LIMITS.

(A) SALE OR LEASE PROHIBITED.

A PERSON MAY NOT SELL, OFFER FOR SALE, DISTRIBUTE, OR LEASE IN THIS STATE ANY MOTOR VEHICLE MANUFACTURED AFTER JULY 1, 1974, IF THE VEHICLE HAS A SOUND LEVEL POTENTIAL THAT EXCEEDS THE MAXIMUM SOUND LEVEL LIMITS ESTABLISHED UNDER §22-605 OF THIS SUBTITLE FOR THAT TYPE OF NEW MOTOR VEHICLE.

(B) REGISTRATION AND ISSUANCE OF TITLE PROHIBITED.

THE ADMINISTRATION MAY NOT REGISTER OR ISSUE A CERTIFICATE OF TITLE FOR ANY MOTOR VEHICLE MANUFACTURED